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## 53<sup>RD</sup> ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARADE SATURDAY

(KILLEEN, TEXAS): The 53<sup>rd</sup> annual Killeen Christmas Parade will show you a "Christmas Wonderland" as it winds its way through historic Downtown. The parade starts at 4:30 p.m. Saturday.

Brigadier General Mark C. Schwartz will serve as grand marshal of the parade. Roy J. Smith Award winners Gerald and Ann Farris will serve as co-marshals.

Organized by the Celebrate Killeen Committee, this year's parade has more than 100 entries.

The parade route map is posted on the city's website, <u>www.killeentexas.gov/parks</u>. Spectators are advised to arrive early to secure parking and viewing spots.

Come Downtown early Saturday for Holiday Under the Stars at Green Avenue Farmers Market, 717 N. 2<sup>nd</sup> Street. Kiddie train rides, arts and crafts, a petting zoo, pony rides and more free festive fun begins at 1 p.m. Food and craft vendors will also participate.

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